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In re Application of)	
Bartholomew J. Frazzitta, et al.)	Art Unit: 2713
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For: Transaction System)	

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2000 kindly amend the above identified Application without prejudice as follows:

In the Claims

Kindly amend claims 1-10, 12-14, 17-21, 23-28, 39-42, and 45-46 as follows:

1. (once amended) A transaction system comprising:

a service provider (SP) station, [including:] wherein the SP station is enabled to be operated by a service provider providing a transaction, wherein the SP station includes therein an SP carrier delivery and receiving device and at least one component of:

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